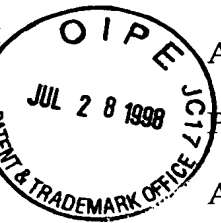


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July 27, 1998

The Commissioner of Patents
UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE
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Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Official Action dated July 15, 1998 and due for response October 15, 1998, Applicant submits the following.

IN THE ABSTRACT

Applicant herewith encloses an abstract of the disclosure, in duplicate, on a separate sheet as required by 27 CFR 1.72(b).

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IN THE DISCLOSURE

At page 35 between lines 24 and 25 please insert:

---BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Figure 1- is the comparison of Abscess size after use of various formulations.---


IN THE DRAWINGS

Applicant herewith submits the required Formalized Drawing of Figure 1, in triplicate. The number of sheets containing the drawing is 1.

If the Examiner has any questions, she is respectfully requested to contact Applicant's Agent, Marcelo K. Sarkis at (905) 771-6414 collect at her convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures

1. Abstract, in duplicate
2. Formalized Drawing of Figure 1, in triplicate